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Marvelous Sea Beach Mining In Alaska-Precious Metal Dug Up Like Dirt-Richest and Easiest Mining In History, But Easy Part Will Soon be Over, When Gold-Bearing Sea Sand Is Exhausted-Origin Is a Mystery.

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quisitive peasant went up quite close to the balloon and held a candle to the silk at a part from which there was a smail escape of gas. All at once a bluish flame sprang from the balloon; then came in quick succession a fearful roar, a terrible stench and loud calls for help, as the people, half suffocated and many of them singed, ran blindly from the church.

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Pale and trembling from their fright, the good folks of Palombaro assembled on the square in front of the church of course, nearly all of them had seen the devil as with a blue flame and a fearful stench he had escaped from the balloon and out of the church. When the smell had passed away, in the course of half an hour, a couple of fool-hardy young men ventured to enter the church again. These were no evident signs that the liberated devil had wrought any great bavoe. But the

Stranger Chan the Mammoth Cave ALWAYS A LEADER

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Beautiful Formations.

The popcorn formation, as its name implies looks very similar to a lot of well popped corn fastened to the walls and ceilings of the cave. In places the balls are smaller than a pea; in others they are several times as large. This formation is usually pure white, with-out the brilliancy that makes the frost-work dazzle the sight. Akin to the pop-corn work is the snowball. In various portions of the cave the walls and cell-ings look as though a number of boys had been throwing snowballs at the walls and the snow was just wet

had been throwing snowballs at the walls and the snow was just wet enough to spatter and stick.

The frost-work furnishes the chief beauty of the cave. It is formed in the softest rock, and in the upper parts of the cave; it is suspended, or shoots up or out, from the base of limestone in clusters of tiny white needles formed of infinitesimal crystals, reminding one clusters of tiny white needles formed of infinitesimal crystals, reminding one of pine trees. The coursest of this formation is not larger than a needle, and it decreases in size until it looks like the finest cotton. There is some of it in the cave which is called mineral cotton that would deceive anyone if it were away from the cave. There is some of it hanging to a stone beyond the Pearly Gates, which the guides some of it figures to a stone obvious
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drafts and colds until the trip is over and he steps out into the warm air again. The suides guard against ill effects from the sudden return to heat by detaining tourists several minutes in the room above the entrance before permitting them to go outside. That the cave has other outlets for this constant stream of wind cannot be doubted, but no evidence of any has been found. Attempts have been made, by

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The Black Hills of South Diskota, described as the richest 199 miles aquare on the face of the earth, possesses, in addition to their mineral richness, one of the greatest wonders of the world. This is Wind cave, in Caster county, while is wind were lost and in endeavoring to the grantest wonders of the world. This is Wind cave, in Caster county, while is wind were lost and in endeavoring to the fillest Hills. This is wind cave, in Caster county, while is wind were lost and in endeavoring to the grantest wonders of the cave there is the southern portion of the things of the cave there is not a but, rat or insect of any find. This cave is in an immense bed of timestone—a bewildering labyrinth of box-work, stalactites, stalagnifes, geodes and frost-work of glistening whiteness, so delicate that at the slightest touch if crumbles to pieces. A fitting playround for the little people with whom the superstition of the indians peopled the Black Hills in the days when the two the world of the surface at Hot Springs and vicinity. Some of the formations show the evidence of havings been formed by water—a warm mineral water; and some, notably the frost-work, is so delicate the formations show the evidence of havings been formed by water—a warm mineral water; and some, notably the frost-work, is so delicated the formations show the evidence of havings been formed by a gas or vapor which congestied as it struck the limestone.

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MAP SHOWING THE LOCATION OF THE NEW MINES, AND METHODS OF MINERS, WITH ENLARGED SECTION SHOWING CAPE NOME.

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The beach to the east of Cape Nome makes no such gold showing as does the beach to the west, owing to the existence of a long reach of water of lagoon. Which lies a short distance have from the sea and parallel with it generally believed that each claim replace from the sea and parallel with it is deposite along the creeks in the interior are quite as rich in one direction as in the other.

Life at Anvil City.

The headquarters of the Cape Nome tension of the same of the mountain above it—at the shape of the mountain above it—at the same of the mountain above it—at the same expected in the spring with the rush.

Thirty Square Miles Staked Out.

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so unpopular that reports were of \$30, made it somewhat expensive, and on the 21st of June is does not dis-

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